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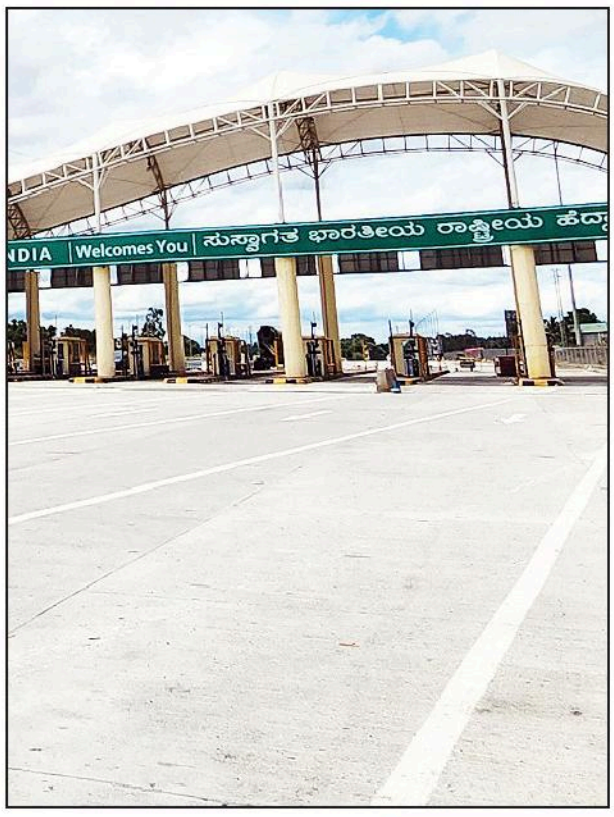
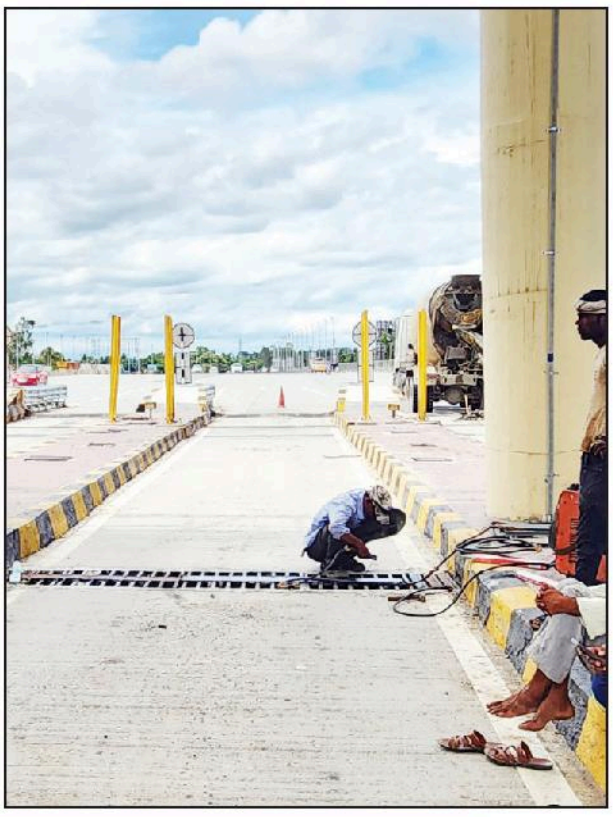
Toll collection from July 1 at Srirangapatna

Trial run begins at Gananguru Toll Plaza





Mysuru, June 28 (Vinay Karekura & BCT)- The second phase of the toll collection on the 118-km 10-lane Access-Controlled Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway (NH-275) will begin from July 1 on the Nidaghatta to Mysuru stretch.

According to officers and staff of National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) manning the toll plaza, the toll collection will begin from July 1, 8 am and the NHAI has already issued a public notification in this regard.

Preparations are in full swing at the toll plaza in Gananguru village after Srirangapatna near K. Shettihalli in Mandya district. Today at noon, toll collection staff and officers were seen doing a trial run of the electronic systems — opening and closing of the gates, ticket issue system and FASTag systems — set up at the collection booths. They were also seen informing the motorists that the toll collection will begin from July 1.

Officers told *Star of Mysore* that the toll collection will be a smooth affair and all the systems have been set up accordingly. They have urged the commuters to travel with FASTag stickers on their vehicles so that the toll gates open automatically as their vehicles approach the plaza.

One-way toll rates

- Car, jeep, van - **Rs. 155**
- Light Commercial Vehicle, Light Goods Vehicle, Mini Bus - **Rs. 250**
- Truck, bus (two axles) - **Rs. 525**
- Three-Axle commercial vehicle - **Rs. 575**
- Heavy construction machinery, earthmoving equipment, multi-axle vehicles (4 to 6 axles) - **Rs. 825**
- Large-sized vehicle (7 or more axles) - **Rs. 1,005**

Return charges on the same day

- Car, jeep, van - **Rs. 235**
- Light Commercial Vehicle, Light Goods Vehicle, mini bus - **Rs. 375**
- Truck, bus (two axles) - **Rs. 790**
- Three axle commercial vehicle - **Rs. 860**
- Heavy construction machinery, earthmoving equipment, multi-axle vehicles (4 to 6 axles) - **Rs. 1,240**
- Large-sized vehicle (7 or more axles) - **Rs. 1,510**

Inside Mandya District

- Car, jeep, van - **Rs. 80**
- Light Commercial Vehicle, Light Goods Vehicle, mini bus - **Rs. 125**
- Truck/bus (with two axles) - **Rs. 265**
- Three-axle commercial vehicle - **Rs. 285**
- Heavy construction machinery/ earthmoving equipment / multi-axle vehicle (4 to 6 axles) - **Rs. 415**
- Large-sized vehicle (7 or more axles) - **Rs. 505**

The NHAI began collecting toll on the 56-km section of Bengaluru-Mysuru Expressway till Nidaghatta from 8 am on March 14. According to sources, the NHAI will begin collecting toll for the remaining part of the Expressway from July 1.

The Expressway project has two packages — the first one runs from Bengaluru to Nidaghatta in Maddur taluk for around 56 km and the second package, which is 61 km long, connects Nidaghatta to Mysuru.

The first phase of the toll is being collected at Kaniminike near Kumbalgodu (Bidadi). At Kaniminike, there are 2 plazas for onward and return journeys and tolls are being levied. In all, there are 3 toll plazas but the toll will be collected only at 2 places.

Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway not unscientific: Pratap Simha

Mysuru, June 28 (BLU&BS)- Denying the allegations that Access-Controlled 10-lane Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway is built in an unscientific manner, Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha has dared the detractors to prove their claims.

Pratap Simha

Speaking to media in the city this morning, MP Pratap Simha said: "The increase in accidents is due to overspeeding, with vehicle drivers moving in a reckless way."

(See EXPRESSWAY on page 7)

healthNHuggets
DID YOU KNOW?
Exercising daily improves gut health by increasing the blood flow to gut and by enhancing number of benificial microbial species i,e comensal bacteria.

Dr. Lokesha H M, Consultant- Laparoscopic, Gastro Onco Surgery 95380 52378
Narayana Multispeciality Hospital, Devanur, Mysore

STAR OF MYSORE

"We believe comment is free, but facts are sacred."

Editor: M. GOVINDE GOWDA, M.A.

Mysuru, Wednesday 28th June 2023

Bridal Expo-2023 by Celebrity Make-up Artist on June 29

Mysuru, June 28- Association of Women Entrepreneurs of Mysore has organised a Bridal Expo-2023 by Celebrity Make-up Artist Somu Hassan at Hotel Sandesh The Prince in Nazarbad at 9.30 am tomorrow (June 29).

Mysuru District Industries Centre (DIC) Joint Director Dinesh will inaugurate. Mysore Chamber of Commerce and Industry (MCCI) President K.B. Lingaraju and MCCI women's wing Women In Small Enterprise (WISE) President T.A. Vasantha Kumari will be the chief guests.

The beauticians, start-ups and trainers from South Zones like Mysuru, Mandya, Chamarajanagar and Kodagu are participating.

For registration, contact Manjula on Mob: 97385-58581.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

All of us have experienced situations that are extremely embarrassing. We have felt guilty about letting people down and redemption has come in the form of messages from the very persons we feel we have let down. The following incident will perhaps illustrate the point I wish to make.

Decades ago, I was the Vigilance Officer at a public sector company. I was also entrusted with the task of arranging talks and training programmes by eminent persons.

A senior IPS Officer who incidentally acquired a Ph.D after retirement was one such speaker. His talk on ethics, finding purpose in life and not letting past experiences hold us prisoners was so inspiring that I felt that the families of the staff members would also benefit from it.

I asked the gentleman whether he would be willing to address the families. He agreed on one condition that he would do so in the evening of the next day.

He did not want to extend his stay in our township beyond what was already scheduled. I took permission from my higher-ups, arranged for a hall, sent a circular to all the departments and was confident that the talk would be met with a rousing reception.

On the scheduled evening, Mr. K was in the hall well before the appointed hour. I welcomed him and was getting a bit nervous about the no show from families. I apologised and pleaded that we wait for another fifteen minutes to which the gentleman graciously conceded.

When after ten minutes there were exactly five people in a hall, which had the capacity to seat 300, I was almost in tears. I tried to communicate my sincere apologies.

In the gentlest of tones, Mr. K said, "Do not worry Prasad, Bhagwan Krishna had an audience of one for his discourse!" He was of course referring to 'Bhagavdgita' that Krishna revealed to Arjuna in the middle of Kurukshetra. Though I was embarrassed, his kind words were reassuring and the evening came to end.

He must have delivered a scintillating talk to the five people present there. I do not recall what he spoke about. But his message for me that a life altering message can be delivered to one person has stayed with me all these years.

— H. L. Datta Prasad in Deccan Herald

NEWS SPARKLERS

Cherry picking called off as birds steal fruits

Cornwall: Organisers of a pick-your-own cherries festival in Cornwall, England, announced the event has been canceled after the cherry trees were cleared of fruits by some "cheeky" blackbirds.

The five-day cherry picking festival had been due to start Wednesday at Cotehele, a medieval house and grounds managed by the National Trust in Calstock, but trust officials wrote on Facebook that the event was called off due to avian interference.

Laura Jarman from the National Trust said the birds cleared the cherries from all 80 trees in the orchard in the span of just a couple of days.

She said Catehele is still planning to host an apple picking event later in the year and hopes to hold a cherry picking event next summer, if the blackbirds allow it.

Hyena swims backstroke in waterhole

Kruger National Park: Scavenging is not the only thing hyenas are good at, they are incredible hunters, parents and even swimmers!

Renoster Pan, a renowned watering hole in the south of Kruger National Park, in South Africa, is visited by an array of different species. On one particular morning, Lambert Fourie was relaxing at the waterhole, hoping that something might come down to drink, but a hyena came to swim.

"At first, the hyena seemed hesitant and slowly dove in. The hyena proceeded to swim backstroke. All four paws in the air, he was splashing about without a care in the world," Lambert said.

While not all hyenas swim or do the backstroke, these resourceful mammals have been known to utilize water sources for a variety of reasons.

HEALTH CAPSULE

How to diagnose enlarged prostate?

Digital rectal examination by urologist and ultrasound of abdomen and pelvis will diagnose the enlarged prostate.

By By Dr. Dinesh Kumar T.P. – Consultant – Urology and Andrology - Manipal Hospital, Mysore

manipalhospitals LIFE'S ON

**** Health Capsule is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature***

Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji's Chaturmasya Vrata from July 3

Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji

Mysuru, June 28- Pejawar Adhokshaja Mutt Seer Sri Vishwaprasanna Teertha Swamiji will undertake Chaturmasya Vrata from July 3 to Sept. 28 at Srikrishnadhama in city.

The Seer will arrive in the city at 4.30 pm on July 2, when he will be given a warm welcome and taken in a grand procession to Srikrishnadhama.

Mysore royal family member Yaduveer Krishnadatta Chamaraja Wadiyar will inaugurate the programme, which will be presided over by K.R. MLA T.S. Srivatsa.

Chamaraja MLA K. Harishgowda will be chief guest.

The procession will be taken out from Saraswathipuram Fire Brigade Junction to Krishnadhama, accompanied by a host of folk and cultural troupes.

The Seer's Chaturmasya Vrata will begin at Krishnadhama from July 3, during which he will perform pujas at Sri Ramadhama, Sri Vittaladhama, Sri Venkatachaladhama, Uttaradi Mutt, Jayalakshmipuram Raghavendraswamy Mutt and T.K. Layout Raghavendra Mutt.

During the Chaturmasya, there will be bhajans at 5.30 pm, followed by Bhagavata discourse, Ramayana discourse and cultural programmes, according to a press release.

Tapta Mudradharana tomorrow

Mysuru, June 28- The city's Sri Krishna Mithramandali, in association with Sri Krishna Trust, will be conducting Tapta Mudradharana tomorrow (June 29) under the guidance of Palimaru Mutt Seer. Mudradharana (wearing of heated seals on body on Ashada Ekadasi) will take place from 9 am to 11 am at Krishnamandira; from 11 am to 4 pm at Krishnadhama; from 6 pm to 8 pm at Vittaladhama and from 8 pm at Srikrishnadhama.

REALLY...?

- *The Great Victoria Desert, just ONE of Australia's barren areas, is larger than the United Kingdom.*
- *The current flag of the USA was designed by a 17 year old.*
- *In Italy, there's a fountain that flows red wine24 hours a day. Anybody can drink from the wine fountain, but it is primarily to quench the thirst of those taking the Camino di San Tommaso pilgrimage.*
- *In order to keep from drowning, whales do not fully sleep like other mammals do. Whales sleep by shutting down only half of their brain for rest. This lets the other half of their brain remain alert to make sure they take breaths when needed.*

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Q: What do you call someone with no body and no nose?
A: NOBODY KNOWS!

TODAY'S CURRENCY RATE

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 81.98
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 104.39
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 22.32
1 Euro	= Rs. 89.80

VOICE OF THE READER

Bikes sans number plates

Sir,

It is shocking to see the increase in number of two-wheelers plying without number plates in Mysuru. By plying so, the two-wheelers are openly defying the basic traffic and RTO rules.

A few days back a triple riding two-wheeler without the number plate jumped the signal near St. Joseph's School on Temple Road and collided with a two-wheeler following the traffic signal.

After collision, two of the pillion riders scooted away and the rider pushed his vehicle before speeding away.

Fellow motorists could not record any evidence since there was no number plate on the offender's two-wheeler.

If we drive for about 30 minutes through main roads of the city, we can notice a minimum of 10 two-wheelers sans number plates and indulging in all sorts of traffic rules violations.

I wonder whether the Traffic Cops and RTO Officers are blind when on duty, since under no circumstance they can miss out the two-wheelers blatantly violating the law, which has given these offenders more courage to do so.

—K. Chandrahas

Mysuru
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DIGP calls for organised fight against drug abuse

Mysuru, June 28 (MK&DM)- Stressing on the need for organised and concerted efforts for tackling the drug menace which is haunting the society these days, DIGP (Southern Range) Dr. M.B. Boralingaiah said the co-operation of educational institutions and other organisations is vital for ending this menace.

He was speaking after inaugurating the 'International Day Against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking' programme organised at Suyog Hospital premises in Ramakrishnanagar on Monday.

Pointing out that India has the biggest youth population in the world, Dr. Boralingaiah said that the country's growth depends largely on the health and development of youths. Expressing concern over rising cases of drug abuse, he said that the Police and other concerned departments are taking necessary steps to tackle the menace. However, the sale of drugs is going on and public co-operation is vital in preventing the sale and consumption of drugs.

Highlighting the role of educational institutions in ending the menace, the DIGP suggested Schools and Colleges to hold awareness programmes on the ill-effects of drug abuse.

DCP (Law and Order) M. Muthuraj said that it is worrisome to note that the educated are falling prey to drug menace more than the uneducated. More discerning is that Medical and Engineering students are becoming victims of drug abuse, which does not augur well for the society, he said adding that it is regretful to note that professional course students are falling into the trap of drug abuse and trafficking. He cited a recent instance where a few medical students were caught for clandestinely growing ganja in their rented accommodation in Shivamogga.

MMC&RI Psychiatry Department faculty Dr. B.N. Raveesh said that tackling drug trafficking, abuse and menace is a social responsibility. Expressing concerns that even female students are becoming victims of drug abuse, he stressed on the need for ensuring that drug supplies are completely stopped.

Suyog Hospital Chairman Dr. S.P. Yoganna, Medical Director Dr. R. Rajendra Prasad, Executive officer Dr. M.V. Manjunath, Yoga teacher Ananthu, Nagamani and others were present.

Skal India Congress-2023 in Mysuru from Oct. 4

Poster and website unveiling event of Skal India Congress-2023 was held in city last evening. Seen are (from left) Vice-President of SKAL International Mysuru C.A. Jayakumar, Chairman of SKAL India Congress Sudipta Deb, MP Pratap Simha, Tourism Department Joint Director Savitha, President of SKAL International India Carl Vaz and President of SKAL International Bangalore Aiyappa Somaiah.

Mysuru, June 28 (BCT)- Skal International, a travel and tourism organisation, has scheduled the Skal India Congress-2023 in Mysuru and Bengaluru from Oct. 4 to 8 this year. **Skal International is an association of travel and tourism professionals that encourages and creates a network of contacts around the world.**

In a curtain raiser programme held at a private hotel in Mysuru yesterday, the website and logo of Skal India Congress-2023 were unveiled by Mysuru-Kodagu MP Pratap Simha in the presence of tourism industry representatives and officials from Skal International.

The Skal India Congress will provide a comprehensive platform for professionals interested in contributing to the advancement of the travel industry and the event is supported by the Karnataka Department of Tourism.

The opening ceremony of the event will be held in Mysuru on Oct. 4. "The Skal Congress will commence with a cultural extravaganza set against the backdrop of the magnificent Mysore Palace, showcasing the vibrant heritage and traditions of India. Delegates will then be transported to the hotel on royal horse-drawn carts," said a press note from the organisers.

A panel discussion and a guided tour of 'Unseen Mysuru' will be held on Oct. 5, and the event will move to Bengaluru on Oct. 6 where the delegates will travel by road on the Expressway.

Business-to-business (B2B) conventions and exhibitions will be held in Bengaluru that will feature tourism organisations from various States showcasing their travel destinations, facilities and tourist-friendly initiatives. Achievers in different fields, as well as panel discussions are a part of the Bengaluru event.

In his address, Pratap Simha said that the tourism industry in Mysuru needs further development and the contributions of Skal India towards achieving that goal is immense.

"Mysuru is growing rapidly compared to the past with good railways, roads and air connectivity. There is easy access to Mysuru now when compared to the earlier years and there are plenty of opportunities for tourism to grow further," he said.

Events like the Skal India Congress will contribute to promoting Mysuru as a desirable travel and tourism destination, he said. "The city offers attractions suitable for people of all ages," the MP added.

Tourism Joint Director Savitha appreciated the efforts of Skal India, its concepts and plans. More such events must be conducted, she added.

Skal India Congress Chairman Sudipta Deb noted that the mega event is taking place in both Bengaluru and Mysuru, the two largest cities in Karnataka. "This novel initiative will contribute to making both cities to gain international recognition," he said.

President of SKAL International Bangalore Aiyappa Somaiah, President of SKAL International India Carl Vaz, Skal International Mysuru President B.S. Prashanth and Vice-President C.A. Jayakumar were present.

Kamakshi Hospitals' Founder's Day and 50th Anniversary tomorrow

Mysuru, June 28- Kamakshi Hospitals will be celebrating its Founder's Day and 50th Anniversary at both the units of the Hospital in Kuvempunagar and J.P. Nagar, Mysuru, tomorrow (June 29).

Unit-1 (Kuvempunagar) at 12 noon: Puja at Ganesha Temple and floral tributes to the Founders late B. Madhava Shenoi and Sulochana Madhava Shenoi at its auditorium. Also, scholarship will be distributed to children of the hospital staff who have secured 80% and above marks in SSLC and II PUC exams. Felicitation to the staff members who have completed 25 years of service. [Ph: 0821-2545982]

Unit-2 (J.P. Nagar) at 1.15 pm: Puja at Temple and floral tribute to the Founders.

Also, scholarship will be distributed to children of the hospital staff who have secured 80% and above marks in SSLC and II PUC exams. [Ph: 0821-2371430]

NEWS BRIEFS

Hostel admission

Minorities Welfare Department has invited online applications from minority community students studying PUC for admission to Post Matric Boys and Girls Hostels run by the Department. The admission is open to minority students from Muslim, Christian, Jain, Buddhist, Sikh and Parsi communities. Also, SC/ST and OBC students too can apply. The application form must be submitted online in the website-***https://shp.karnataka.gov.in,*** before July 15. [Ph: 0821- 2422088]

Free eye check-up

Mysore Race Club Eye Hospital, in association with various organisations, will be conducting free eye-check up camps at five different places in city next month. The schedule is as follows: **July 6** - Bisilu Maramma Temple, T.K. Layout; **July 10** - T.N.N. Adarsha Vidyarthi Nilaya, Rajendranagar; **July 17** - Sri Ramakrishna Sevakendra, Vivekanandanagar, Bannur; **July 24** - S.G.S. Hospital, Sri Ganapathy Sachidananda Ashrama, Nanjangud Road, Mysuru; **July 31**- Primary Health Centre, Mellahalli. [Mob: 99452-16163/ 89719-64955]

Ph.D awardee

M.D. Thammegowda has been awarded Ph.D in Political Science by the Karnataka State Open University for his thesis 'Karnataka Abivrudhiyalli Haranahalli Ramaswamy Adalita Sudharane Ayoga: Ondu Vimarshathamka Adhyayana.' [Guide: Dr. Shankaranaranappa]

WATER LEVEL

KRS DAM

Maximum	:	**124.80** feet
Today	:	**77.90** feet
Yesterday	:	**77.82** feet
Inflow	:	**760** cusecs
Outflow	:	**308** cusecs

KABINI DAM

Maximum	:	**2,284.00** feet
Today	:	**2,250.62** feet
Inflow	:	**299** cusecs
Outflow	:	**300** cusecs

HARANGI DAM

Maximum	:	**2,859.00** feet
Today	:	**2,820.05** feet
Inflow	:	**252** cusecs
Outflow	:	**50** cusecs

Counselling for frontline forest staff transfers faces resistance

Senior officers want to curb appointments under 'influence'; staffers say system will lead to disparity

Mysuru, June 28 (MTY&BS)- The Karnataka Forest Department's plan to implement a transfer and counselling system for frontline staff has met with stiff resistance with the frontline staff of tiger reserves and wildlife sanctuaries expressing their resentment.

The Association of Frontline Staff has also decided to submit a memorandum to Chief Minister Siddharamaiah to revoke the order on counselling.

The Department has decided to implement transfer and counselling system under the rules of Karnataka State Civil Services (Regulation of Transfer of Forest Officers and Postings) Ordinance 2016 and 2019. But the said staff allege loopholes in the rules that may result in lack of adequate staff at tiger reserves and wildlife sanctuaries.

Though it is termed as a boon for forest personnel in urban and North Karnataka regions, it is considered a bane for those deputed at tiger reserves, wildlife sanctuaries and dense forests. It may even give rise for disparity, argued some of the frontline forest men.

Only frontline staff

The transfer counselling is restricted for forest watchers, forest guards and Deputy Range Forest Officers (DRFOs), exempting Range Forest Officers (RFOs), Assistant Conservators of Forests (ACF) and Deputy Conservators of Forests (DCF) among other senior officers. This has angered the frontline staff who have been calling the new transfer policy unscientific.

Those working in urban areas will get an opportunity to serve in nearby ranges on understanding with colleagues, but with restrictions.

However, the personnel working at the forest areas in the Old Mysuru region like Nagarahole Tiger Reserve, Bandipur Tiger Reserve, Biligiri Ranganatha Tiger Reserve, Male Mahadeshwara Wildlife Sanctuary, Cauvery Wildlife Sanctuary and other dense forests will surely be affected by the inevitability of serving in core areas throughout their service. It is also one of the reasons why the forest personnel are disappointed.

The policy may also discourage those willing to work in the ranges of core areas in Bandipur and Nagarahole Tiger Reserves, Biligiri Ranganatha Tiger Reserve which are dense forests located 10 km from urban areas. The number of personnel will also dwindle affecting anti-poaching and anti-forest crime measures, staffers argued.

Several MLAs have also written to authorities to drop the counselling transfer process, but senior officers in Bengaluru are adamant to implement the new policy, which may prove costly to wildlife in the long run, they said.

For proper criteria

According to senior officials, the Department wants to stop the personnel 'flouting' the rules to seek transfers by way of 'influence'. The counselling system will provide proper criteria for transfers and give the personnel the exact picture of vacancies in the Department in each district or range, they said.

The Department has proposed to keep the personnel for a minimum of three years in a single location before they become eligible for transfer under the new guidelines.

The Department is also trying to maximise the reach of its officials by cutting manpower in places which have minimal forest cover and transferring them to locations with dense forest cover but facing manpower shortage.

Staffers pinpoint loopholes

Staffers said that there are many loopholes in the counselling system where senior officers including RFOs do not fall in the bracket. Points are specified, but there is no scope for mutual transfer and deployment and also no priority has been accorded for the transfer of husband and wife to a common area. Staffers said that the policy is against Section 2 (6) of Karnataka Forest Act 1963, as it is impossible to seek transfer on a rotation basis. Apart from the disparity in the allocation of posts, there is no scope for natives of taluks to serve on the home turf for 58 years.

Forest Department gets new logo designed by Mysurean

Bengaluru, June 28 (BCT)- Forest Minister Eshwar Khandre launched the new logo of the Karnataka Forest Department in Bengaluru on June 26.

Shamanth Gorur

The new logo showcases the diverse and abundant flora and fauna of Karnataka, ingeniously integrated into the outline of the State's map. In a bid to embrace a distinctive identity, the Forest Department organised a contest earlier this year, encouraging students, artists and citizens to contribute their innovative ideas and perspectives. As an incentive, a cash reward of Rs. 20,000 was announced.

Following the submission of numerous suggestions and designs, the Department finalised a logo that beautifully captures the essence of the State's biodiversity. The logo has been designed by Shamanth Gorur, a resident of Mysuru.

Positioned at the top of the logo is the State Bird, the Indian Roller, followed by the Asian Elephant, the State Animal and the National Animal, the Tiger. Additionally, the logo features the State Butterfly, the Southern Birdwing and prominently showcases the State tree, the Sandalwood tree, at its centre. The light blue and cyan hues at the bottom of the logo symbolise the abundant rivers and sea that grace the State.

Speaking to *Star of Mysore*, Shamanth Gorur, a resident of J.P. Nagar in city said that his creation was chosen among over 300 entries. "It took me two weeks to put together my thoughts and visualise to put together a draft. After the initial design, I sat with the officers to finalise the concept and it got approved," he added.

Shamanth has been doing designs for the last seven to eight years and at present, runs Shamanth Gorur Studio. Apart from being a designer, he is an artist, cartoonist, singer, writer and wildlife enthusiast.

Miscreants burgle houses, school

Mysuru, June 28- In separate incidents, miscreants have burgled houses and a school in Mysuru and Nanjangud.

In the first case, burglars, who gained entry into the house of a teacher by breaking open the door lock, have decamped with gold jewellery and cash from the house.

The burglary took place at the house of 40-year-old G. Vijayalakshmi, No. 940, 11th Main Road at Vasanthanagar in city. She is working as a teacher at a private school here.

On June 23 morning, Vijayalakshmi locked her house and had gone out of station. When she returned the next day, she found the door lock broken and on inspecting the house, she found 20 grams gold necklace and Rs. 40,000 cash stolen and lodged a complaint on June 25.

Alanahalli Police, who registered a case, are investigating.

On the same day, burglars have decamped with 29 grams gold ornaments and Rs. 10,000 cash from the house of H.B. Dakshinamurthy, a lecturer at Mallikarjun College at Udayagiri and residing at No. 883, on the 11th Main Road in Vasanthanagar.

It is suspected that both the burglaries may have been committed by the same gang.

Nanjangud: Miscreants, who broke into Gurumalleshwara High School at Haginavalu village in the taluk have decamped with Rs. 20,000 cash, groceries and DVR from the school.

After the classes, the School teachers locked the School on Saturday and left for their places. When they came to the School on Monday morning, they found the lock broken and cash, groceries and DVR stolen. Fingerprint experts and dog squad inspected the School. Nanjangud Rural Police have registered a case.

BONANZA of Art and Literature

7th Mysuru Literary Festival in city on July 1 and 2

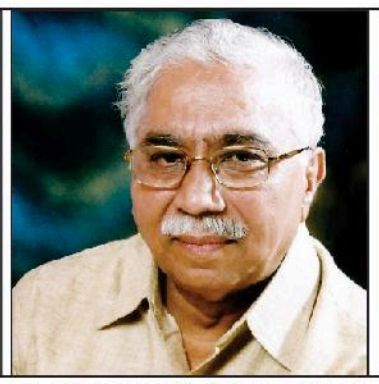
Mysuru, June 28 (OSR)- As a precursor to the much-awaited Literary Festival organised by the Mysore Literary Forum Charitable Trust and Mysuru Book Clubs, a poster was released yesterday by the Trust at press meet held at Patrakarthara Bhavan in city.

The two-day festival will be held on July 1 and 2 at Hotel Southern Star on Vinoba Road, said the Managing Trustee Shubha Sanjay Urs.

The inauguration is at 2 pm on July 1. A number of achievers and distinguished persons in the field of art, literature and adventure will participate in the deliberations and panel discussions, both in Kannada and English over these two days. A detailed report about the programme has appeared in yesterday's *Star of Mysore*.

Following are the distinguished persons who would share their thoughts and ideas with audience.

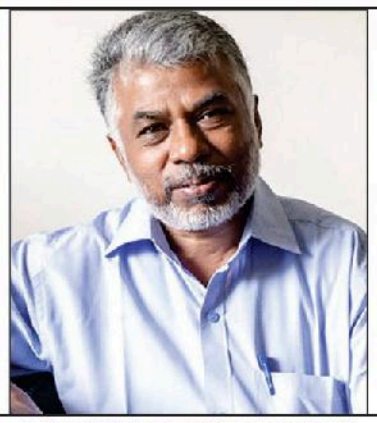
Pramoda Devi Wadiyar of Mysore Royal family will inaugurate



Dr. Chandrashekar Kambar, Kannada playwright, author and Jnanpith awardee

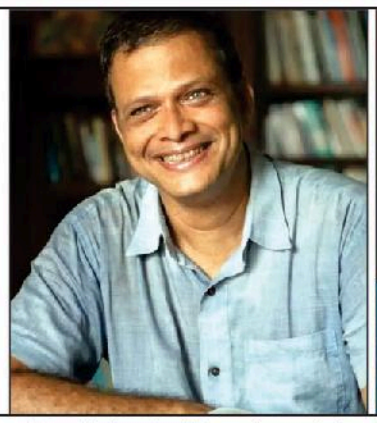
Dr. Bibek Debroy, Chairman, Economic Advisory Council to the Prime Minister of India

Shehan Karunatilaka, Sri Lankan Writer, Booker Prize Winner



Perumal Murugan - Author, scholar and literary chronicler who writes in Tamil

Jogi - Kannada writer and journalist, Magazine Editor, 'Kannada Prabha'



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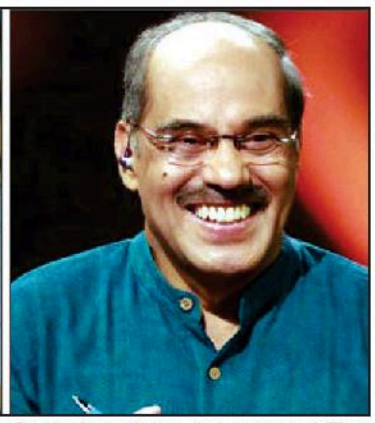

Dr. Na. Someshwar - Quiz master of 'Thatt Antha Heli' fame of 'Chandana' Kannada TV

B. Jayashree - Veteran theatre actor and former Rajya Sabha Member

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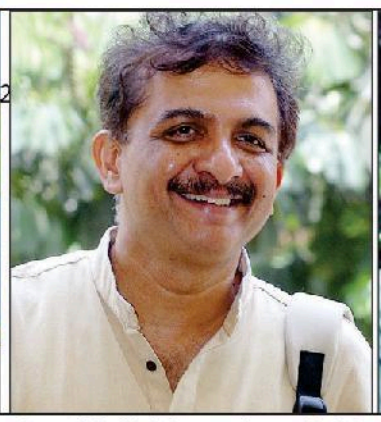
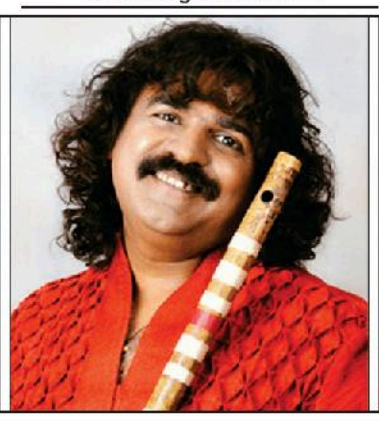


Jayanth Kaikini -Story writer and lyricist in Kannada Cinema

J.S. Amoghavarsha - Indian film-maker and wildlife photographer

VVS Laxman - Former Indian international cricketer

Sudharani - Veteran Kannada film actor



Pravin Godkhindi - Classical Hindustani Flautist

Yamini Muthanna - Bharatanatyam and Yoga exponent

Mysuru Literary Forum Charitable Trust Treasurer Raian F. Irani, Trustee Suchita Sanjay, Vice-Chairman Sam Cherian Kumbakattu, Managing Trustee Shubha Sanjay Urs, Trustee Kitty Mandana, Secretary Thankam Panakal and Members Pruthvi Sudheer and Divya Sanjay seen releasing the poster of the 7th Mysuru Literature Fest at Pathrakartara Bhavan in city yesterday.

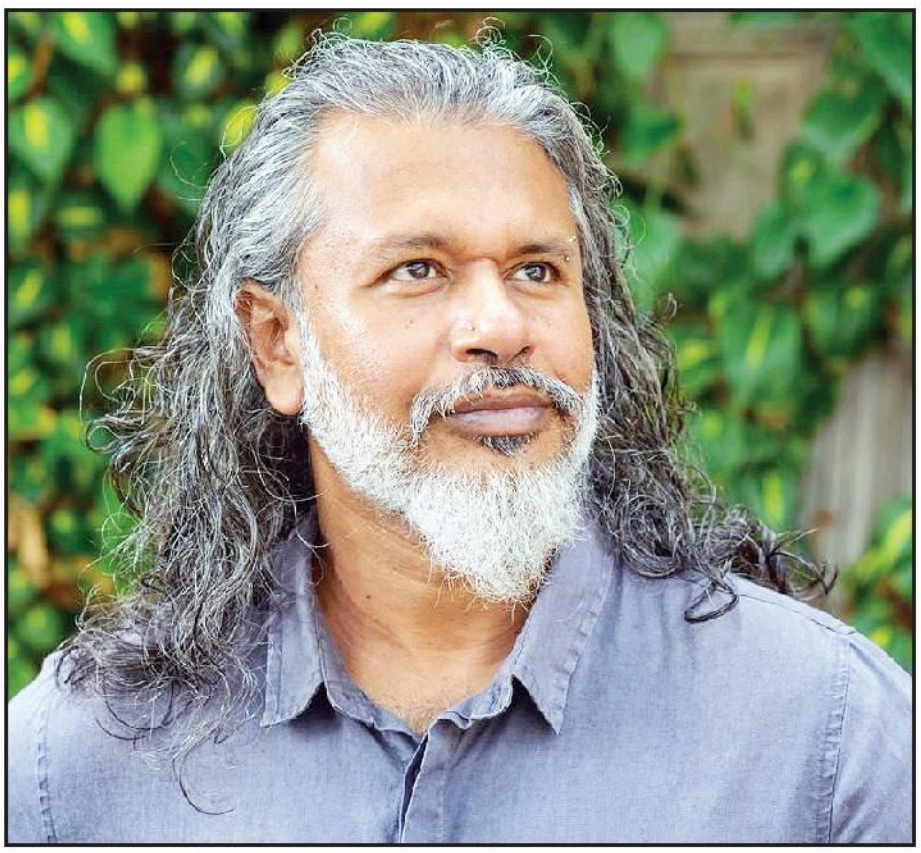
Books to be released at Literature Fest

Mysuru, June 28- The following books will be released during the inauguration of the 7th edition of Mysuru Literature Festival at Hotel Southern Star in city on July 1 at 2 pm:

1. *Life and Times* authored by K.B. Ganapathy; **2.** *Relationship Ragas — An Anthology of Short Stories* by The Writers Collective, Bangalore; **3.** *Ela's Unfinished Business* by Gayatri; **4.** *When the Wind God Fell Sick and other Folk Tales* by Jnanpith Awardee Dr. Chandrashekar Kambar (translated from the Kannada original ಮರಬೇ ಮರ್ಮರಬೇ ಮತ್ತು ಜುಜ್ಜರಾಣಿ by Krishna Manavalli; **5.** Sri *Lalita Sahasranama Chitravalli (Volume 1, 2, 3 and 4 — A pictorial depiction of 1000 names of Devi Lalita)* by artist Susheel Kumari.

'Can't think of international readers when writing a Sri Lankan novel'

Booker Prize-winning author Shehan Karunatilaka



Sri Lankan author Shehan Karunatilaka

Sri Lankan author Shehan Karunatilaka made his mark on the international literary scene with his first novel **'Chinaman: The Legend of Pradeep Mathew'** way back in 2011, winning the DSC Prize, the Commonwealth Writers' Prize and a host of other accolades. Last year he won the Booker Prize for **'The Seven Moons of Maali Almeida,'** a political satire wrapped in a murder mystery.

Star of Mysore caught up with him for a quick chat ahead of his travel to India to attend the seventh edition of the Mysuru Literature Festival, which will bring together a stellar cast of speakers and panellists from the world of arts and culture. The Mysuru Literature Festival, organised by Mysuru Literary Forum Charitable Trust and Mysuru Book Clubs-2015, will take place at Hotel Southern Star in city on July 1 and 2. — **Ed**

By Dipti Kotian

Star of Mysore (SOM): What is the premise of your Booker Prize winning novel 'The Seven Moons of Maali Almeida'?

Shehan Karunatilaka: It tells the story of a dead war photographer who finds himself in the afterlife where he has seven days to solve his own murder, make peace with loved ones and alert the world to his cache of hidden photographs.

Dipti Kotian

SOM: Your first book 'Chinaman: The Legend of Pradeep Mathew' was published in 2010. Why the long gap between books?

Shehan Karunatilaka: I hadn't really thought of a second novel and it took a while to find the story that would occupy me for the next decade. Meanwhile, we had two kids! The book took multiple revisions before it was ready for an audience. I had to rewrite it many times before it made sense to me!

SOM: How disciplined is your writing routine? Do you set yourself a daily target?

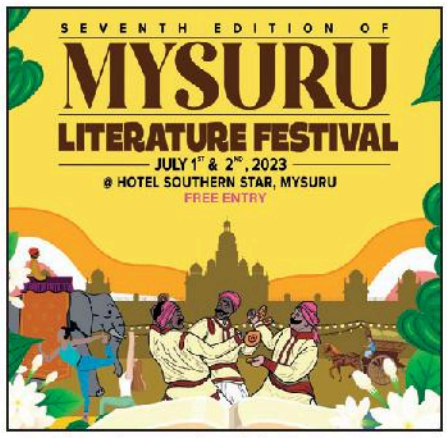
Shehan Karunatilaka: No targets. But if I can sit every day for about four hours and stay focused, that's a good day. If I get a few good paragraphs a day, it's time well spent.

SOM: Did you always want to be a writer? Was your career choice to work in advertising influenced by the desire to write?

Shehan Karunatilaka: I always wanted a career where I didn't have to wear a tie. Now, unlike most people, I get to work in my pyjamas. I took whatever jobs I needed to survive and yes, advertising was one of them. But when stuck in office cubicles, I often fantasized over a career where I get to read books, watch movies, and listen to music all day long. I'm lucky to finally have my wish.

SOM: The characters in 'The Seven Moons of Maali Almeida' speak using phrases and authentic expressions that are distinctively Sri Lankan. How much did South Asian writers like Salman Rushdie and others influence you in this regard?

Shehan Karunatilaka: I try and write as authentically as I can, capturing the



sound and speech of the narrators and characters. When revising I do try and make it easier for an uninitiated reader to glean meaning from the context. But you cannot think of international readers when you are writing a Sri Lankan novel, at least I don't. And yes, writers like Salman Rushdie, Carl Muller, Mohammed Hanif, Arundhati Roy and Chilean novelist Roberto Bolano showed me how it was done.

SOM: Right at the start of the story we find that Maali Almeida, the central protagonist, is dead and we meet him in the afterlife. Many of the primary characters are ghosts, demons and rakshasas. What inspired you to set your story in this alternate reality of the spirit world?

Shehan Karunatilaka: The idea of 'What if Sri Lanka's dead could speak?' is what began this project. Once I had found enough ghosts to chat to, I constructed an afterlife made up of eastern and western folklore and common supernatural tropes. We're all fascinated by what comes after, even though we all suspect that it may actually be nothing.

SOM: Any reason you chose a particularly volatile and violent period in Sri Lanka's political history, not from its most recent past but from the 80s?

Shehan Karunatilaka: The distant past is safer to write about than the recent past. But I lived through that period and believe it should be written about, discussed, understood and never repeated.

SOM: How far do formal creative writing programmes help budding writers?

Shehan Karunatilaka: All forms of learning are good. I didn't attend any writing courses, but I educated myself by following the reading lists. The internet has enough masterclasses and gurus on any aspect of the craft you wish to learn. Writing can't be taught, but it can be learned. At least until the robots replace us.

Basavaratna Awards presentation in city tomorrow

Mysuru, June 28- Mysuru Sharana Mandali will confer Basavaratna Awards on five achievers from different fields — Progressive farmer K.H. Nanjappa, Senior Journalist K. Shivakumar, Social Worker A.P. Nagesh, Social Organiser Lion Venkatesh and Businessman Y. Veerabhadra — during Basava Jayanti celebrations to take place at Dr. Shivarathri Rajendra auditorium in JSS Hospital premises at 11 am on June 29.

Nanjappa Shivakumar Nagesh Ln. Venkatesh Veerabhadra

K.H. Nanjappa from Kelasurupura in Gundlupet taluk is credited with bringing electricity to his village in 1963 and constructing a water tank in 1968. He has established a Kannada Medium School in 1981 and has bagged the Best Farmer Award.

K. Shivakumar is Resident Editor of Mysuru edition of *The New Indian Express*. He did his PG in Journalism from University of Mysore and got Ph.D from UoM for his research on social trauma caused by notorious forest brigand Veerappan.

A.P. Nagesh of Attahalli near Bannur in T. Narasipur, joined BEML - Mysuru and served as Secretary of BEML Employees Union. Later on, he formed APN Properties to form Layouts.

Lion Venkatesh is credited with giving jobs to many youths when he served as Head of Professional Couriers, Mysuru and for social work during COVID.

Y. Veerabhadra of Mudi village in Soraba taluk of Shivamogga district started the famous Mysuru Tarpaulins shop on D. Devaraj Urs road in 1969.

Shakti effect: KSRTC Mysuru seeks 120 more buses

Existing fleet of buses falling short to cater to huge demand; buses operating in 100 percent occupancy

Mysuru, June 28 (RK&BS)- With a massive increase in the number of women travelling in KSRTC buses after the State Government launched Shakti scheme that provides free travel for women, KSRTC Mysuru Division has asked the Government for 120 additional buses.

According to the Divisional Controller (DC) of KSRTC Mysuru Depot B. Srinivas, within a span of two weeks since the scheme was implemented on June 11, an impressive number of over 4.4 million women have travelled on the buses operated by KSRTC Mysuru Division, including the urban division.

The regular buses, which previously had an occupancy rate of 60 to 70 percent, are now running at full capacity with 100 percent occupancy. Some buses are even overloaded, exceeding their passenger capacity, with women being the majority of passengers, he revealed.

These statistics have resulted in a significant increase in revenue for the State-owned public transport, reaching Rs. 1.59 crore per day compared to the previous Rs. 1.25 crore, generating a surplus revenue of Rs. 34 lakh.

Rs. 10.26 crore revenue

Since the launch of the scheme, approximately 2,96,000 women passengers are now travelling daily in KSRTC buses in the Mysuru Division alone, generating revenue of Rs. 67 lakh from the journey of 4.48 million women so far. The total revenue from ticket fares, which will be borne by the State Government, amounts to Rs. 10.26 crore, Srinivas noted.

However, due to the increasing number of women boarding KSRTC buses, men are finding it challenging to secure seats for their travel, as reported by the drivers and conductors. While the passenger load remains normal on inter-city and inter-State routes, there has been a gradual rise in passenger numbers on city and rural buses within the KSRTC system, he added.

More drivers, conductors

Following the spurt in passenger density, the existing fleet of buses are falling short to cater to the demand. Hence, it has been proposed to KSRTC Central Office to allot 120 additional buses for KSRTC Mysuru Division, along with additional number of drivers and conductors to meet the requirement of increase in number of trips too.

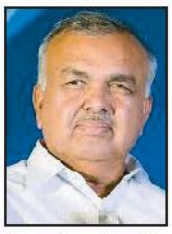
The inevitable situation has paved the way for an increase in the number of trips for existing buses and it has been requested to provide additional drivers and conductors, he explained.

Currently, Mysuru Division has 1,071 buses including 830 buses in the ambit of Shakti scheme, air-conditioned Airavata and Rajahamsa buses including 3,454 conductors and drivers. "Despite a shortage of 200 personnel, we are somehow managing to run the buses," added Srinivas.

If additional 120 buses are allotted as per the demand, a minimum of 400 drivers and conductors are required. But, with more women opting for regular buses than luxury buses like Airavata, Rajahamsa and electric buses, the division can make up for the losses from surplus revenue generated from Shakti scheme, noted Srinivas.

On the flip side, the women who were preferring to travel in private buses, cabs and autorickshaws are also turning towards KSRTC buses to make most of the Shakti scheme, dealing a severe blow to private transport operators, besides trains too where also there is a decline in the number of commuters.

Smart cards soon: Transport Minister



Ramalinga Reddy

Bengaluru, June 28 (Agencies)- Transport Minister Ramalinga Reddy said in Bengaluru yesterday that the portal to apply for Shakti smart cards would open soon. The smart cards are mandatory to avail of the Shakti scheme.

"Smart cards can be availed by applying on the Seva Sindhu portal," Reddy said. "It will open soon. One can get a smart card by uploading any form of identification. For now, women can travel for free for three months by showing any government-issued identification (ID) cards."

Reddy claimed that the scheme has empowered the Road Transport Corporations (RTCs). "The income of the Corporations has risen. It has empowered the Government and the Corporation. Since June 11 launch, 8,24,93,637 women travelled for free in non-premium Government buses and tickets worth Rs. 194,50,13,686 were issued.

Mysuru-Bengaluru Expressway not unscientific: Pratap Simha

(Continued from page 1)

When asked about ADGP (Traffic and Road Safety) Alok Kumar inspecting the Expressway yesterday in the wake of rise in fatal accidents of late, MP Pratap Simha reiterated that 'let anybody prove it to be unscientific, we shall ask the contractor to take corrective measures.'

Continuing, the MP said that it has been planned to build approach roads to the Expressway at an estimated cost of Rs. 420 crore by acquiring the required extent of lands.

Simha, who held a meeting of Railway Officers at Divisional Railway Manager (DRM) Office on Irwin road in the city, to discuss about the ongoing PM Gati Shakti project, said 'It has been planned to build three entries to Railway Station, with one entry on the lines of Airport terminal with shopping mall and cafeteria.'

The Railway Officers apprised the MP about the progress of the works with a power point presentation. To commemorate the contributions of Mysore Maharajas to Railways, it has been planned to install a statue of Sri Chamaraja Wadiyar at the entrance to the Station.

South Western Railway, Mysuru Division DRM Shilpi Agarwal, Unit Head and Chief Project Manager of Gati Shakti Vishnu Bhushan and other Officers were present at the meeting.

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1. That for and on behalf of myself and my wife, children and remitter issue wholly renounce/relinquish and abandon the use of my former name/surname of ASHOKA SINDHAGHATTA CHANDRAPPA and in place thereof I do hereby assume from this date the name/surname **ASHOK SINDHAGHATTA CHANDRAPPA.** So that I and my wife, children and remitter issue may hereafter be called, known and distinguished not by my former name, but assumed name of **ASHOK SINDHAGHATTA CHANDRAPPA.** 2) That for the purpose of re-denoting such my determination declares that I shall at all times hereafter in all records, deeds and writings and in all proceedings, dealings and transactions. Private as well as upon all occasions whatsoever use and sign the name of **ASHOK SINDHAGHATTA CHANDRAPPA** as my name/surname in place and in substitution of my former name/surname. 3) That I expressly authorize and request all persons in general and relatives and friends in part cular, at all times hereafter to designate and address me, my wife, children and remitter issue by such assumed name of **ASHOK SINDHAGHATTA CHANDRAPPA** accordingly 4) In witness whereof I have here unto subscribed my former name of ASHOKA SINDHAGHATTA CHANDRAPPA adopted ASHOK SINDHAGHATTA **CHANDRAPPA** affix my signature this 27th day of June, 2023.

Date:27-06-2023 Signed and Delivered by the above name S/- Adopted Name: ASHOK SINDHAGHATTA CHANDRAPPA In the presence of

Sd/- S.V. Nagendra, Notary, Mysore.

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Actor Shivarajkumar hits 'powerful' shot to boundary

Mysuru, June 28 (MK&BS)- Two-day State-level Sports Meet of Karnataka State Licensed Electrical Contractors Association concluded successfully at Maharaja's College Grounds in the city on June 24.

Hat-trick Hero Shivarajkumar aka Shivanna was the star attraction, who graced the event along with his wife and film producer Geetha Shivarajkumar.

Shivarajkumar congratulated the organisers of the sports meet and described it as a good initiative in the interest of physical and mental well-being.

Shivarajkumar, who is also a cricket fan, showed his batting skill by hitting a ball to the boundary, over the head of those gathered around.

MLA G.T. Devegowda distributed prizes to winners of various sports events and said: "The electrical contractors play a big role in providing electricity to the houses of the poor and farmers.

With the big players venturing into contract, the small contractors are feeling the heat as told by Association President C. Ramesh. I will speak to Energy Minister in this regard."

Earlier, Krishnaraja MLA T.S. Srivatsa and Mayor Shivakumar inaugurated the Athletics Meet in the morning.

In men's cricket, Udupi team emerged winner securing first place, followed by Bengaluru second and Bengaluru Central team third place.

In Tug-of-War, Dakshina Kannada came first, Udupi - second and Bengaluru Central - third.

The other competitions included Musical Chair and 100-metre run, while for women, Rangoli, Musical Chair, Ball Passing, 100-metre Run, Lemon and Spoon Race, Hitting-the-Wicket, Book Balancing and Shuttle Badminton contests were conducted and several participants won prizes.

General Secretary of Karnataka State Licensed Electrical Contractors Association Chandrababu, President of State Youth Empowerment, Sports and Information Technology Committee C.V. Mallikarjun and District President Raghavendra were present.

Winners of Overall Championship in Inter-Collegiate Weightlifting Competition

Mysuru, June 28- The students of Seshadripuram Degree College won Overall Championship in weightlifting at Mysuru City Inter-Collegiate Weightlifting and Best Physique Championship 2022-23 which was jointly organised by JSS Science and Technology University and Sri Jayachamarajendra College of Engineering on June 9. The winners in different categories are as follows:

• **S. Jeevan** won silver medal in 145 kg weightlifting category; • **K. Abhishek,** having a total body mass of 63 kg, won silver medal in 141 kg weightlifting category; • **H.C. Dhanush,** having a total body mass of 67.10 kg, won bronze medal in 141 kg weightlifting category; • **Deekshith Gowda,** having a total body mass of 81.60 kg, won silver medal in 155 kg weightlifting category; • **L. Varshith,** having a total body mass of 89.60 kg, won gold medal in 175 kg weightlifting category; • **Romario Richard Titus,** having a total body mass of 98 kg, won gold medal in 165 kg weightlifting category; • **Vaishak Shetty,** having a total body mass of 107 kg, won bronze medal in 104 kg weightlifting category; • **Ganesh Surya,** having a total body mass of 130 kg, won bronze medal in 131 kg weightlifting category.

Medal winners in MMA

Seen in the picture are** (standing from left) **Adilshah and Ningaraju (Police staff), Kavyashree (Coach), Keerthi (Police Officer), Kru Vikram (Team India Coach and AMS Founder-Director), Purushotham (former Mayor), Kiran (Coach) and Mohammed Zaid;** Kneeling from left: **Samarth Vikram, B. Akshatha Shanbhogue, H.R. Theeksha Bharuni, R. Namrata, G.S. Dattatreya, N. Aryan Raj, J. Ashwin and Prabhu Dev.

Mysuru, June 28- Ten MMA athletes of Academy of Martial Science (AMS), Mysuru, participated in the 6th MMA India Nationals at Lucknow's Chowk Stadium recently and won 2 Gold, 3 Silver and 2 Bronze Medals for the State at the Championships.

The Championship was hosted by MMA Association of UP and sanctioned by MMA India National Federation. Over 500 participants from 26 States participated in the aforementioned Championship. Kavyashree from AMS helmed team Karnataka.

RESULTS

H.R. Theeksha Bharuni - Female Youth C, -52 kgs, Gold Medal; **R. Namrata** - Female Youth C, -52 kgs, Silver Medal; **J. Ashwin** - Youth B, -72Kgs, Gold Medal; **G.S. Dattatreya** - Youth B +72 Kgs, Silver Medal; **Aryan Raj** - Youth B, -57 Kgs Quarter finalist; B. Akshatha Shanbhogue - Female Atom weight - Bronze Medal; **Samarth Vikram** - Jr. Bantam Weight - Bronze Medal; **Mohammed Zaid** - Jr. Welter weight - Silver Medal; **Prabhu Dev** - Sr. Fly weight Participant; G.R. Sridhar - Sr. Bantam Weight Quarter Finalist.

Also, **Aryan Raj** was awarded 'Athlete of the Year' in Male youth C division and **Samarth Vikram** was awarded as 'One of the Best Fighters of the Tournament.'

They are all trained at the AMS by Coach Kiran, Coach Kavya and Coach Samarth and mentored by Kru Vikram, MMA India Head Coach and IMMAF Youth Commission Member. Former Mayor and senior Congressman V. Purushotham, Police Officer Keerthi and staff congratulated the team upon arrival.

Dr. Usha Hegde flags off 5-km marathon in city

Mysuru, June 28- Dr. Usha Hegde, the first woman from Mysuru to complete 'Ironman' event, flagged off the 5-km marathon organised by Mysuru Pharma Forum here on June 26.

Observing that maintaining a good health is key in these days of modernity, Dr. Usha Hegde said that a brisk walk of about 45 minutes a day is a must in these days of stressful life. Pointing out that engaging in sports and a daily walk will largely help in maintaining our health amid changing lifestyles, she said that along with physical health, it is also important that we maintain our mental health.

Doing regular exercises must become a routine for everyone for ensuring a sound health and body fitness, she added.

University of Mysore Department of Physical Education former Director Dr. P. Krishnaiah, who also spoke, highlighted the benefits of each of the sports.

Vishwas of Aerobic team gave a demonstration on fitness to the participants.

Mysuru Pharma Forum President Sudheendra, athlete (runner) Mahesh and others were present. Prizes were distributed to the winners of the marathon.

Two shops burgled in Shivarampet

Thieves take away Rs. 2,500 cash from the shops, leave other items untouched

Mysuru, June 28 (RK&KS)- A stationary shop and a novelty store at Mannar's Market in Shivarampet were burgled last midnight and the thieves have reportedly taken away a total of Rs. 2,500 from both the shops.

The burglaries came to light this morning, when other shop owners saw the rolling shutters of Milan Stationary shop and the novelty store forcibly opened and immediately informed the concerned shop owners, who rushed to their shops. The thieves have only decamped with cash but have not touched any other items in both the shops.

Devaraja Inspector Shivakumar, Sub-Inspector Prabhu and staff rushed to the spot, conducted mahazar and have registered a case. City Fingerprint Unit and Dog Squad also visited the spot.

CCTVs switched off during nights

Police said that most shop owners switch off their CCTV cameras after closing the shops which does not serve the purpose for which the CCTV cameras are installed for. Police further said that CCTV cameras are needed during night times as there will be staff during daytime at the shops. Here too, both the shops had CCTV cameras but were switched off at night.

Reminding shop owners that CCTV cameras should function 24x7, Police said that the footages should be stored for a minimum of three months.

Meanwhile, the Police are checking for CCTV cameras installed in the vicinity and the footages will be collected to identify the criminals.

AIDSO stages protest, demands withdrawal of NEP

Mysuru, June 28 (MTY&DM)- Students from different colleges, under the banner of All India Democratic Students Organisation (AIDSO), staged a demonstration in front of Crawford Hall here on Monday, demanding withdrawal of the NEP-2020 (National Educational Policy), which they claimed was against the academic interests of students.

Maintaining that the NEP is mainly responsible for the drop in admissions at Degree colleges, the students alleged that hike in fees and grant of autonomy to Government colleges is part of the NEP plans. As such, the State Government should come forward to safeguard Higher educational Institutions of the Government, they said.

Wanting the Government to develop State-run educational institutions, they urged for establishment of a Government Engineering College in Mysuru district as it would be beneficial to scores of poor students who want to pursue technical courses. They also demanded filling up of all teacher vacancies and to develop infrastructure in Govt. Maharani's College in city.

AIDSO District President Subash, Office-bearers Chandrakala, Nitin, Swati, Chandrika, Chandana, Hema, Dhanushree, Anjali, Shreyas, Jettappa, Disha and others were present.

Kodagu flood victim writes to Prez seeking nod to kill self

Shantha

Siddapur, June 28 (BCT)- Unable to secure a Government house even after four years after her own house was devastated in the floods of Kodagu, a 66-year-old woman has written to the President of India, making a desperate plea to the Government, demanding assistance either in the form of a new house or permission to end her life.

Shantha's story is a heartbreaking reminder of the plight of the flood victims in Kodagu. The Government which has a responsibility to help these people has done little to alleviate the suffering. The floods caused widespread devastation and the recovery process is still ongoing.

Though the Government has provided financial assistance to the affected families for some months and has built houses at a couple of places, many of the houses have not yet been handed over to the victims, leaving them high and dry.

Having no other alternative, Shantha, a resident of Nelliahudikeri, has written to President Droupadi Murmu.

Shantha's house was washed away in the 2019 floods following a breach in the Cauvery River.

Areas like Nelliahudikeri, Siddapur, Guhya and Karadigodu were severely affected. She is now living in a rented house, but she is unable to pay the rent.

Working as a domestic help, Shantha's livelihood is modest. After her house was destroyed, she submitted many applications for a Government house and went to the offices of Panchayat and Tahsildar but in vain.

She is also unable to find work as she is too traumatised by the floods to go out. Shantha recalled that the then Government promised the flood victims new houses and also assured to pay monthly rent for houses in which the victims stayed till the construction of new houses was completed. However, the Government failed to keep its promise, she stated in the letter.

Shantha alleged that despite many appeals, the Kodagu District Administration has failed to sanction her a house and leading a daily life has become miserable. The victims are in distress. It is condemnable that the Government failed to provide any rehabilitation facilities, she added.

Unidentified man run over by train

Mysuru, June 28 (KS)- Mysuru Railway Police have found a body of an unidentified man who was run over by a moving train on June 25 between MNGT and Naganahalli Railway Stations and have registered a case.

The deceased is aged between 35 and 36 years, 5 ft. tall, wheatish complexioned, oval faced, normal built, sports beard and moustache and was wearing a green T-Shirt and black jeans pant.

The kith and kin of the deceased, if any, may contact Mysuru Railway Police Station on Ph: 0821-2516579.

Unidentified body found

Mysuru, June 28 (KS)- Lashkar Police have found a body of an unidentified man lying on the footpath on B.N. Road at about 11.10 am on June 26 and have registered a case.

The deceased is aged between 35 and 40 years, 5.6 ft. tall, normal built, oval faced, wheatish complexioned, has a mark of an old wound near the left heel, black mole on the left side of his chest and was wearing a brown shorts.

The kith and kin of the deceased, if any, may contact Lashkar Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418107/ 307 or Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339, according to a press release.

Engineering student goes missing

Mysuru, June 28 (KS)- A 23-year-old Engineering student has gone missing since June 21 from city.

The missing student is M. Ningaraju, son of Mahadeva, a native of Davanagere, who was pursuing Engineering course at a private college in city.

He is 5.7 ft. tall, wheatish complexioned, well built, round faced, speaks Kannada and English and was wearing a grey coloured jerkin, light green coloured cotton pant, brown checks shirt and was having a bag with the name 'Texas Investments' printed on it.

Those having any information about Ningaraju, may contact Mysuru Railway Police Station on Ph: 0821-2516579 or Mob: 94808-02122.

Obituary

Sunitha

Mysuru, June 28- Sunitha (54), wife of Akashvani senior journalist G.S. Nanjundaswamy and a resident of 8th Main, Shanthi Marga in Siddarthanagar, passed away yesterday evening in city.

She leaves behind her husband, daughter Vyshnavi, son N. Srikanth, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, grandchildren and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites will be performed at the foot of Chamundi Hill tomorrow (June 29) at 10 am, according to family sources.

WORD OF THE DAY

Reconcile

Pronunciation: REK-un-syle.
Meaning: Reconcile has several meanings that have to do with settling or resolving things, such as differences, contradictions, and conflicts. It is also used to mean "to check a financial account against another for accuracy" and "to cause someone to accept something unpleasant."
Origin: When faced with a kerfuffle, dustup, or other flavor of fracas, a conciliatory gesture or tone of voice—one intended to gain goodwill or to reduce hostility—can go a long way toward reconciling the squabbling parties. This makes not only common but etymological sense—both conciliatory and reconcile trace back to the Latin verb conciliare, meaning "to assemble, unite, or win over." Reconcile can also be used when its facts, ideas, etc., that are being brought into agreement, and when financial accounts are checked against one another for accuracy. Reconcile is not all feel-good vibes, however. If you reconcile yourself to something unpleasant you come to accept it, as in "Even lexicographers must reconcile themselves to never knowing all the words."
Example: "Despite their long period of estrangement, [Graham] Nash and [David] Crosby had recently been reconciling their relationship. Nash spoke fondly of Crosby's music, emphasizing that the music they created together rose above their personal conflicts. 'I'm very pleased that David & I were getting closer towards the end,' Nash said in the podcast. 'He had a good life. I mean, what incredible music he made. He was a fantastic storyteller. I loved him dearly.'"—Aidin Vaziri, SFChronicle.com, 10 Apr. 2023.

THE ODD WORD

Cagamosis

Unhappy marriage.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Cat's cradle

Meaning: A box-like shape which is made by from twisting a loop of string around their fingers. It is usually played by two players, although some variations may be played by one.
Origin: This is a popular pastime for children throughout the world. The origin of the phrase or of the game aren't known, but both are certainly quite old. The first reference to the phrase is in Abraham Tucker's The light of nature pursued, 1768: "An ingenious play they call cat's cradle; one ties the two ends of a packthread together, and then winds it about his fingers, another with both hands takes it off perhaps in the shape of a gridiron, the first takes it from him again in another form, and so on alternately changing the packthread into a multitude of figures whose names I forget, it being so many years since I played at it myself."

QUOTE BOX

To live is the rarest thing in the world. Most people exist, that is all.

— Oscar Wilde

RIDDLE THIS

Solve the rebus:

FROZEN WATER[3]

Answer: Ice cube.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Vietnam, colloquially and in short ?
4 Actress ___ Peeples
7 Edges
11 Seine's contents
12 Perform in front of an audience
13 Aboard ship
14 Cradle
17 Tel ser. provider in New Delhi and Mumbai
18 Crowning ceremony
20 Maltreat
22 Computer screen symbol
23 Roman sun
24 Australian bear
27 A person of profound wisdom and knowledge
31 Rests or slumbers
33 Express discontent or pain in a low voice
34 Mode Select Unit
35 Broad
37 Ladle
39 Exchange of views on a topic
42 Old stringed instrument
43 Temporary expedients
46 Against
47 A long time
48 Rock group ___ Leppard
49 Tide type
50 Video game genre in short
51 Female sheep

YESTERDAY'S ANSWER

G	A	P	■	S	P	A	S	■	O	F	F
N	O	R	■	T	O	P	I	C	■	A	I	M
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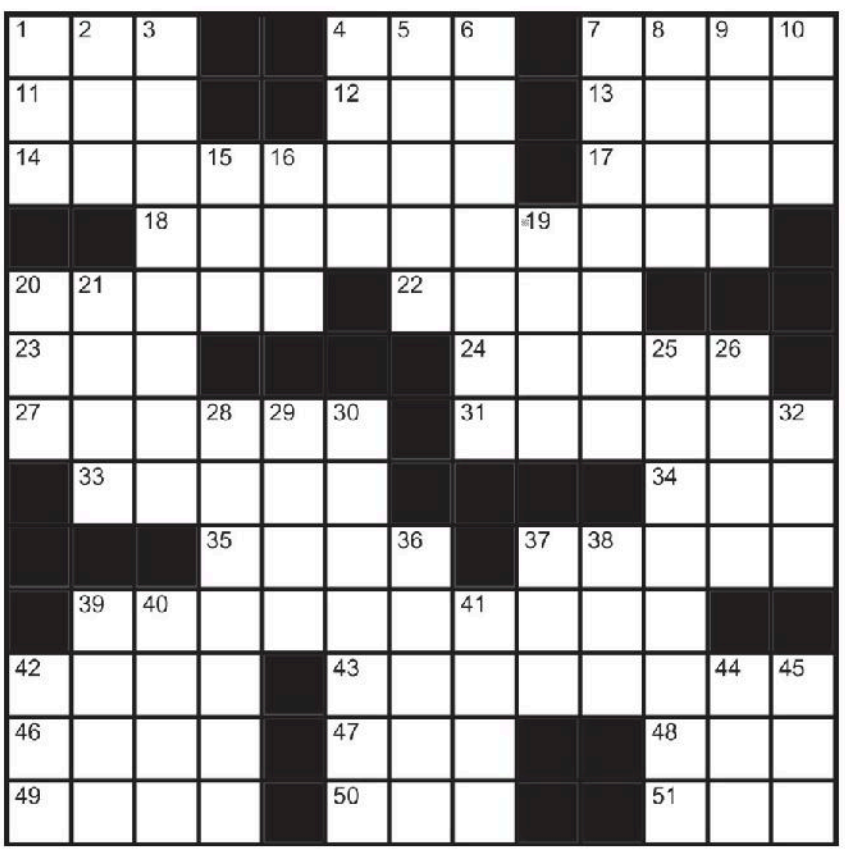
P	R	O	■	L	U	C	I	D	■	E	D	M
A	S	P	■	■	T	U	L	U	■	S	D	U

DOWN

1 The peak of a cap
2 Anti-aircraft artillery, in short ?
3 Brawny
4 Billionth as a prefix
5 An ancient Celtic tribe of Eastern England
6 Assaults
7 "A A milne" anagram for thin plates or scales or layers?
8 Analogy words (2,2)
9 The founder of Pennsylvania
10 Erie mule of song
15 Distress signal
16 Another word for 'anger'
19 Instrument of manual operation
20 Kyushu mountain
21 Bjorn ___ : Swedish tennis great ?
25 Cold drink
26 Dog breed: Lhasa ____
28 Spring flower ?
29 Not of the clergy
30 The ultimate consumer (3-4)
32 Drink by sips or spoonfuls
36 Prevent by means of a legal authority
37 Tiny drink
38 Gear tooth
39 Have a meal
40 Greek letter
41 Vocal music
42 Covered vehicle
44 Church bench
45 Seller-Furnished Equip.



SUDOKU

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	7			2			4	
		9					7	5
	1		2					6
				7	6		8	

Answer to previous puzzle

6	9	3	8	7	5	4	2	1
1	8	2	9	4	6	5	7	3
7	5	4	3	2	1	9	8	6
9	4	1	2	8	7	6	3	5
5	2	6	1	3	9	7	4	8
3	7	8	6	5	4	1	9	2
8	6	7	5	9	3	2	1	4
4	3	5	7	1	2	8	6	9
2	1	9	4	6	8	3	5	7

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

JFKV GSE OSMVC GSEN DMVBKN YC HSTKSVK, CFNKK

DMVBKNH YNK OSMVCMVB UYPX YC GSE.

TODAY'S CLUE: B EQUALS G

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: Love looks through a telescope; envy, through a microscope.

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  Dhoomam (K) - 4 Shows
- **Padma Theatre** — **Ph: 2521923**
  Thalainagaram (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Rajkamal Theatre** — **Ph: 2423554**
  Paayum Oli Nee Yenakku (Ta) - 4 Shows
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- **Lido Theatre** — **Ph: 2420885**
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  Varisu (Ta) - 4 Shows
- **Balaji Theatre** — **Ph: 2497199**
  Gadar (H) - 4 Shows

DRC CINEMAS — Ph: 4240422, 4241800

Spider Man (E)	(S-1)	10.20 am
The Flash (E)	(S-1)	1.05 pm
Elemental (E-3D)	(S-1)	4.00 pm, 6.05 pm
No Hard Feelings (E)	(S-1)	8.10 pm, 10.15 pm
Aggrasena (K)	(S-2)	10.25 am
Adipurush (K-3D)	(S-2)	12.50 pm, 6.55 pm, 10.20 pm
	(S-4)	3.50 pm
Por Thozhil (Ta)	(S-2)	4.10 pm
Modala Male (K)	(S-3)	10.30 am
Paayum Oli Nee Yenakku (Ta)	(S-3)	1.30 pm
Thandatti (Ta)	(S-3)	4.15 pm
Daredevil Musthafa (K)	(S-3)	6.55 pm
1920 - Horrors of the Heart (H)	(S-3)	10.05 pm
Dhoomam (Ma)	(S-4)	10.10 am, 7.15 pm, 10.05 pm
Dhoomam (K)	(S-4)	1.00 pm

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Adipurush (K-3D)	:	10.30 am, 1.15 pm, 4.40 pm
Adipurush (Te-3D)	:	12.15 pm
1920: Horrors of the Heart (H)	:	10.45 am, 4.40 pm, 7.15 pm
Dhoomam (K)	:	11.30 am, 4.00 pm
Dhoomam (Ma)	:	1.50 pm, 6.10 pm, 9.00 pm
Elemental (E-3D)	:	4.00 pm, 9.00 pm
Daredevil Musthafa (K)	:	7.00 pm

PVR CINEMAS — 4K Dolby 7.1

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Dhoomam (K)	:	9.55 am, 1 pm, 7.10 pm
Dhoomam (Ma)	:	4.05 pm, 10.15 pm
Aggrasena (K)	:	11 am
Adipurush (K)	:	11.05 am, 9.30 pm
Adipurush (K-3D)	:	1.40 pm
Adipurush (Te)	:	2.45 pm
Adipurush (Te-3D)	:	11.30 am, 6.50 pm
Adipurush (H-3D)	:	3.10 pm, 10.30 pm
Elemental (E-3D)	:	11.20 am, 5.20 pm, 7.40 pm, 10 pm
1920: Horrors of the Heart (H)	:	12 noon, 6.45 pm
Spider-man (E)	:	1.40 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	2.45 pm
The Flash (E)	:	3.30 pm, 9.45 pm
Por Thozhil (Ta)	:	6.35 pm
Thandatti (Ta)	:	7.25 pm

1st Floor, Garuda Mall. Mob: 9901373210

Adipurush (Te-3D)	:	10.45 am, 10.30 pm
Adipurush (K-3D)	:	2.10 pm, 6.05 pm
Adipurush (H-3D)	:	2.25 pm, 9.45 pm
Modala Male (K)	:	11.45 am
Elemental (E-3D)	:	11.50 am, 5.50 pm, 8.10 pm
Dhoomam (K)	:	12.15 pm, 3.20 pm, 9.30 pm
Dhoomam (Ma)	:	6.25 pm
Trailers Screening Show	:	2.50 pm
Thalainagaram 2 (Ta)	:	3.35 pm
Daredevil Musthafa (K)	:	6.30 pm
1920: Horrors of Heart (H)	:	9.45 pm

Release of Sanskrit books

Mysuru, June 28- Samskriti Foundation, Mysuru, an organisation engaged in the preservation and propagation of the cultural and scientific heritage of India, is organising a book release function in collaboration with the Government Maharaja Sanskrit College on June 30 at Government Maharaja Sanskrit College premises at 3.30 pm.

Two Sanskrit books — *Vasantha-tilaka-shatakam* and *Subhashita-shatakam* — of the famous Sanskrit poet and scholar of Mysuru, H.V. Nagaraja Rao and an English rendering by Tara Murthy of the famous *Shiva-mahimna-stotra* are the three books that will be released by T.N. Prabhakar, noted Sanskrit scholar and former Joint Director of Collegiate Education Department of the Government of Karnataka. H.V. Nagaraja Rao and Tara Murthy will be present on the occasion. Prof. P. Sathyanarayana, Principal of the Government Maharaja Sanskrit College, will preside over the function. For details, contact Mob: 83109-06646, according to a press release.

EVENTS TODAY (JUNE 28)

- **Extracurricular Activities Committee-2023, University Evening College:** Dr. B.R. Ambedkar's 132nd birth anniversary celebrations, Chamarajanagar University VC Prof. M.R. Gangadhar inaugurates, University Evening College Principal Prof. H. Somashekarappa presides, Room No. 20, New Building, University Evening College, **6 pm.**
- **Sri Chandramoulishwara Temple, V.V. Mohalla:** 81st Jayanthyotsava and 19th Brahma Rathotsava, Dolothsava and Shayanothsava, Sri Shankara Prarthana Mandira, **6.30 pm.**
- **Sri Uttaradi Mutt - Rogamochana Sri Dhanvantari Sannidhana:** Sri Bhagavad Gita Abhiyana, discourse by Pt. Sri Srikanthacharya Mukhundi on 'Bhagavad Gita – Chapter 10,' Dhanvantari Sannidhana, Uttaradi Mutt, Agrahara, **6.30 pm to 7.30 pm.**
- **Sri Digambara Jain Samaja and Padmasri Jain Mahila Samaja:** Ashadamasa Nandishwara Ashtahnika Parva of Sri Shobhakrutu Nama Samvatsara, discourse on 'Gatha: 626 to 650' by Dr. Shashirekha, Sri Shantishwara Swamy Basadi (Kote Basadi), **7 pm to 8 pm.**

EVENTS TOMORROW (JUNE 29)

- **Association of Women Entrepreneurs of Mysore:** Bridal Expo by Celebrity Make-up Artist Somu Hassan, DIC Joint Director Dinesh inaugurates, MCCI President K.B. Lingaraju and WISE President T.A. Vasantha Kumari chief guests, Hotel Sandesh The Prince, Nazarbad, **9.30 am.** [Mob: 97385-58581]
- **Sri Krishna Mithra Mandali and Sri Krishna Trust:** Shobhakrita Samvatsara Ashada Masa Shuddha Pratama Ekadashi, Tapta Mudradharane by Udupi Sripalimar Seer Sri Vidyadeesha Theertha Sripadangal, Sri Krishnadhama, Sahukar Chennaiah Road, Saraswathipuram, **12 noon to 4 pm and 8 pm to 9 pm;** Mudradharane programme at Udupi Sri Krishna Mandira, N.S. Road, **9.30 am to 11.30 am;** At Vitthaladhama, J.P. Nagar, **6 pm to 8 pm.**
- **Kamakshi Hospitals:** Founder's Day and 50th Anniversary, Puja at Ganesha Temple and floral tributes to the Founders late B. Madhava Shenoi and Sulochana Madhava Shenoi at auditorium, distribution of scholarship to children of the hospital staff who have secured 80% and above marks in SSLC and II PUC Exams, felicitation to the staff members who have completed 25 years of service, Hospital premises, Kuvempunagar, **12 noon;** Puja at Temple and Floral Tribute to the Founders, distribution of scholarship to children of the hospital staff who have secured 80% and above marks in SSLC and II PUC Exams, Hospital premises, J.P. Nagar, **1.15 pm.**
- **Sri Chandramoulishwara Temple, V.V. Mohalla:** 19th Brahma Rathotsava, Avabrutha Snana, Vasanthothsava and Pavamana Homa, **8 am;** Bhajan programme by Shashidhara Shastry, Sri Shankara Prarthana Mandira, **6 pm to 7.30 pm.**
- **Sri Ramakrishna Ashram:** Swami Jnanayogananda-ji speaks on 'Bhagavad Gita,' Ashram premises, Yadavagiri, **6 pm.**
- **Sri Digambara Jain Samaja and Padmasri Jain Mahila Samaja:** Ashadamasa Nandishwara Ashtahnika Parva of Sri Shobhakrutu Nama Samvatsara, discourse on 'Gatha: 651 to 675' by Latha Sudarshan, Sri Shantishwara Swamy Basadi (Kote Basadi), **7 pm to 8 pm.**

INOX LIVE the MOVIE

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Dhoomam (K)	(S-2)	10.00 am
	(S-3)	11.50 am, 7.15 pm
Elemental (E-3D)	(S-1)	9.55 am
	(S-4)	5.40 pm, 8.00 pm
No Hard Feelings (E)	(S-1)	12.15 pm; (S-3) 10.20 pm
Dhoomam (Ma)	(S-2)	3.50 pm, 9.40 pm
1920: Horrors of Heart (H)	(S-2)	1.05 pm, 6.55 pm
Adipurush (K-3D)	(S-1)	2.40 pm, 10.00 pm
Adipurush (K)	(S-3)	3.35 pm
Adipurush (H-3D)	(S-1)	6.20 pm; (S-4) 10.20 am
Adipurush (Te-3D)	(S-4)	2.00 pm, 10.20 pm
Trailer Screening Show	(S-3)	2.55 pm

INOX Centro Mysore - Mob. : 9606976757

Adipurush (Te-3D)	(S-2)	10.30 am, 5.50 pm
Adipurush (K-3D)	(S-2)	9.30 pm
	(S-3)	10.00 am, 4.00 pm
Adipurush (H-3D)	(S-2)	2.10 pm; (S-3) 10.10 pm
Elemental (E)	(S-1)	10.50 am
Elemental (E-3D)	(S-3)	1.40 pm, 7.45 pm
Dhoomam (K)	(S-1)	1.05 pm, 4.10 pm
Dhoomam (Ma)	(S-1)	7.15 pm, 10.20 pm
Road King (K)	(S-4)	11.00 am
Modala Male (K)	(S-4)	1.10 pm
Aggrasena (K)	(S-4)	7.45 pm
1920 - Horrors of Heart (H)	(S-4)	4.10 pm, 10.25 pm
Trailers Screening Show	(S-4)	7.10 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15.

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Name of the Institution	Post Vacant (Designation)	No. of Post	Eligibility
SBRR MAHAJANA FIRST GRADE COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS) Jayalakshmipuram, Mysuru-12	Superintendent	01	1. Any Graduate with Computer Knowledge 2. Experience will be added qualification. 3. Retired person from Aided Degree College / University is preferred.
	Office Assistant cum Computer Operator	01	1. Degree with Computer Knowledge (Ms.Office) and Typing (both Kannada & English). 2. Preference will be given to those who have knowledge of Tally with latest ERP version and knowledge of photo shop will be added qualification. 3. Minimum 3 years of experience.
	Lab Assistant	01	1. P.U.C (Science) / B.Sc. 2. Proficiency in handling Chemistry Lab Class. 3. Previous Experience will be considered.
	Attender	01	1. SSLC/PUC 2. Experience will be added Qualification
	Scavenger	02	1. Experience will be added Qualification
POOJA BHAGAVAT MEMORIAL MAHAJANA PG CENTRE, Metagalli, Mysuru	Accounts Assistant	01	1. Degree with Computer Knowledge (Ms.Office) and Typing (both Kannada & English). 2. Preference will be given to those who have knowledge of Accounts/Tally with latest ERP version
SBRR MAHAJANA P.U.COLLEGE	Computer Science Lecturer	01	1. M.Sc/MCA/M.Tech in Computer Science with 55% aggregate marks with B.Ed., Preferably having teaching experience in PU College.

Application along with supportive documents, Curriculum Vitae with a passport photograph mentioning therein the e-mail ID and contact phone number should be sent to **Hon.Secretary, Mahajana Education Society, Jayalakshmipuram, Mysuru-12**, so as to reach **on or before 07-07-2023.** The soft copy of the applications may be sent to **mes@mahajana.edu.in. For more details contact 0821-2414060.**

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Hon. Secretary

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